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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir,

Responsive to Office Action dated October 2, 2006 Applicants hereby submit:

A petition for a 3-month extension of time under CFR 1.136(a).

The required fee for the extension of time.

An amendment to the claims.

Applicants respectfully that the claims as amended are patentable over the cited prior art and request reconsideration and allowance of the present patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.